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EASTBOUND I-580 TRUCK CLIMBING LANE COMPLETE TWO WEEKS AHEAD OF SCHEDULE

ALAMEDA COUNTY – Caltrans announces the completion of the Truck Climbing Lane Project along Eastbound I-580 over the Altamont Pass in Alameda County between Greenville Road and east of North Flynn Road.

“Opening this new truck climbing lane two weeks ahead of schedule is good for freight movement on this heavily traveled corridor,” says Caltrans District Director Bijan Sartipi, “and, this new lane also increases the safety of passenger vehicles, just in time for the upcoming fourth of July weekend.”

The project will provide congestion relief during the afternoon peak travel period by separating slow moving truck traffic from existing mixed flow lanes. This project will also enhance the regional and interregional movement of goods, services and people as well as provide substantial economic benefits to the Bay Area Region and the Central Valley Region by reducing congestion and travel times.



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